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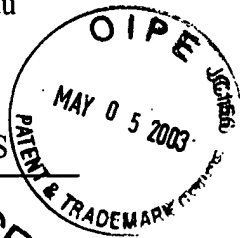
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Response to Restriction Requirement

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In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 28, 2003, Applicant elects, without traverse, Species Group I (claims 2-6, 22-26, and 49-53), and asserts that these claims read on the elected species. Applicant respectfully asserts that claims 1, 15-21, 35-48, and 56-67, since they are generic as admitted by the Examiner, also read on the elected species. Applicant reserves the right to reintroduce one or more other species, and to have them considered if and when a generic claim is held to be patentable.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's Representatives at the below-listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this Response or if prosecution of this application may be assisted thereby.

Respectfully submitted,

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